Questions and Answer Document III

Questions submitted to Wisconsin Department of Health Services in response to the Specialty Pharmacy Utilization and Cost Management RFI 062912 DHCAA-JH

Question Number	Question	Answer Number	DHS Answer
1	Can you confirm the contents of the 2 files? One for medical claims and one for pharmacy claims?	1	Yes, there are both medical claims and outpatient pharmacy claims included in the extract. Claim Type identifies the kind of claim it is, e.g., claim type P = outpatient pharmacy claim; claim type M = professional claim.
2	We have one question we want to ask regarding the specialty pricing from [the DHS] website. Is this only for pharmacy or is the pricing also used for anything that goes through the FFS Medical side?	2	This pricing is applicable only to outpatient pharmacy claims.
3	[Paraphrased question]: Place of service is not consistently populated and for POS 22 (outpatient hospital) allowed amount does not represent the allowed amount for the entire line. Please address.	3	Professional claims have the place of service field but not type of bill field, while outpatient/institutional claims have type of bill but not place of service. The allowed amount on a professional claim is the maximum fee allowed. On institutional/outpatient claims, Wisconsin Medicaid pays a rate per day or percent of charges. On claims with multiple detail line, the first payable detail is assigned the allowed amount (i.e., rate per day or percent of charges) since line items are not being paid.

4	Would you kindly confirm that pricing is not required at this time?	4	As this is an RFI, pricing is not expected at this time.
5	Are PDF files acceptable format	5	Yes, PDF is an acceptable format. Yes,
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